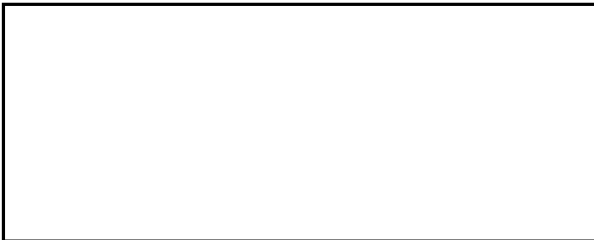


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14 March 1952



General Smith has asked me to reply to your letter of March 7th respecting the status of your application for employment by this Agency and asking for his advice and assistance with respect to your future.

After reviewing your case with our Personnel people, I must inform you that the tests which you took showed that you did not have the qualifications required for this type of work. I am told that you were informed of this fact.

I hesitate to say that you are not likely to be able to bring your present training and background in education and the social studies to bear upon the field of foreign affairs, but I can assure you that further preparation on your part would be essential if you were to compete favorably on a professional basis with applicants for positions in this Agency. I would therefore, urge you to continue and expand your studies in order that you may improve your qualifications.

Sincerely yours,

SIGNED



Assistant to the Director

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